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1. Upon review of the Examiner's Answer mailed July 8, 2010, it has been noted that the listing of the evidence relied upon is incomplete. Therefore, in an effort to remedy this inadvertent omission, please note below, the complete listing of the evidence relied:

(8) Evidence Relied upon

3,865,194	Grover	1-1975
5,343,632	Dinh	9-1994
5,732,562	Moratalla	3-1998
2 491 322	Deiss (France)	4-1982
29 14 857	Maier (Germany)	10-1980
31 34 506	Jahnel (Germany)	3-1983
2 059 035	Arendt (UK)	4-1981

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to FRANKIE L. STINSON whose telephone number is (571) 272-1308. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F from 5:30 am to 2:00 pm and some Saturdays from approximately 5:30 am to 11:30 am.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Michael Barr, can be reached on (571) 272-1700. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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